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ANOTHER GERMAN RAIDER OFF ATLANTIC COAST?

BULLET OF RIFLE SNUFFS OUT LIFE OF MRS. H. JEFFS

Police Declare Husband Says
That He Might Perhaps
Have Prevented Deed

TRAGEDY OCCURS AT HOUR OF BREAKFAST

Was Once Divorced From Jeffs,
Who Says She Planned
Another Action

One shot in the head from a 22 caliber target rifle ended the life of Mrs. Harold Jeffs, wife of "Jeffs," the barber, in their home at 1281 South Beretania street. Jeffs says she committed suicide and practically admits to the police, the latter say, that he could have prevented the tragedy.

Dr. George Herbert, living just a block away on Keolu street, was called in by Jeffs shortly after the shot was fired. The woman was still living when the physician arrived, but while he was telephoning for the emergency hospital ambulance she passed away without speaking. Dr. Herbert then called in Deputy Sheriff Asch living nearby.

The victim was 40 years old and the mother of two children, a girl aged nine and a boy of six years. Her maiden name was Minnie Locke and she was born in England. There are no known relatives in Hawaii. The body has been removed to Williams' undertaking parlors where funeral arrangements are being made. An inquest, with Deputy Asch presiding, will be held at 10 a. m. Friday.

About three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Jeffs were divorced, to remarry inside of 24 hours. Jeffs tells the police that his wife had recently consulted an attorney and prepared papers, not yet filed, for another divorce. Only yesterday he says he told her to hurry up and be done with it.

The story of the shooting told to Deputy Asch by Jeffs when the deputy made a thorough investigation of the premises this morning, was that he awoke at about 5:30 and went out to water his orchids, which are growing in two large hot-houses. At that time his wife was in her own room and he was alone in his bed. Going back into the house about 6 o'clock, he says, he called the children for breakfast, stepped into his room and saw his wife lying in his bed with the rifle to her temple.

"I could probably have taken the gun away from her then," he concludes, according to what Deputy Sheriff Asch told the Star-Bulletin later, "but I didn't think she would shoot so I went on into another room, and while there I heard the 'pop' of the gun. When I saw she had shot herself I ran for the doctor."

Jeffs has been a barber in Honolulu for many years. His present shop is on King street in a basement location just Ewa of Fort street on the mauka side.

TRIAL OF ENDOSO COMING TO CLOSE IN CIRCUIT COURT

Further trial of the case of Gregorio Endoso, charged with first degree murder, was had in Circuit Judge Ashford's court today. The territory closed its case shortly before noon, when the defense called its first witnesses. It was expected that the case would be completed this afternoon. Endoso is charged with having shot and killed Pedro Nolasco, a Filipino, while the two were riding on the running board of a Honolulu-bound auto bus. The shooting occurred at Kahala, Windward Oahu.

HALF-DOZEN MEETINGS EACH DAY NOW BEING STAGED BY DEMOCRATS

Only one Democratic political meeting will be held in Honolulu this evening, this to take place in Ohua lane, Waikiki. At 4:30 o'clock this afternoon a rally was to be held at Hauula and at 7:30 o'clock this evening there will be a meeting at Laie for the Laie and Kahuku voters. A meeting was held at Kahala at 9 o'clock this morning and another at Punahoa at noon. Yesterday a meeting was held at Kaneohe in the afternoon and one at Waikane in the evening, both having been well attended.

KING STREET EXTENSION ORDINANCE IS SIGNED

The ordinance establishing the King street extension improvement district has been signed by Mayor Lane. November 6 it will go to the tax assessor, having been printed three times, and he will then send out assessment notices to the property holders upon the receipt of which they will have 30 days in which to pay the first installment. Assessment notices for Kalakaua avenue will be sent out at the same time and the 30 days' limit also applies to residents along that street.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

	Today	Yesterday
Alaska Gold	12 1/2	12 1/2
American Smelter	112 1/2	112 1/2
American Sugar Rfg.	120 1/2	121 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	133 1/2	133 1/2
Anaconda Copper	96 1/2	95 1/2
Atchafalpa	107 1/2	107 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	86	86 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	88	88
Bethlehem Steel	67 1/2	64 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	23 1/2	23 1/2
Canadian Pacific	173 1/2	173 1/2
C. & M. St. P. (St. Paul)	95 1/2	94 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	94 1/2	94 1/2
Crescent Steel	94 1/2	94 1/2
Erie Common	39	39
General Electric	182 1/2	182 1/2
General Motors	81 1/2	81 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	118 1/2	118 1/2
Inter. Harv. N. J.	118	116 1/2
Kennecott Copper	54 1/2	53 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	84	84 1/2
New York Central	108 1/2	108 1/2
Pennsylvania	58 1/2	57 1/2
Ray Consol.	28 1/2	26 1/2
Southern Pacific	100 1/2	100 1/2
Studebaker	130 1/2	130
Tennessee Copper	23	22 1/2
Texas Oil	22 1/2	22 1/2
Union Pacific	151 1/2	151 1/2
U. S. Steel	120 1/2	121
U. S. Steel Pfd.	122 1/2	121 1/2
Utah	109	107
Western Union	102 1/2	102 1/2
Westinghouse	66 1/2	65 1/2

HUGHES SURE OF OHIO AND INDIANA

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
BATAVIA, N. Y., Nov. 2.—Candidate Charles E. Hughes in the course of a speech here today asserted that he is confident that the election in Ohio and Indiana will go for the Republican party, including its presidential nominee. He assailed the failure of the Democrats to reduce the high cost of living, as they had promised.

VILLISTAS HOLD UP TRAIN, LOOT, KILL AND OUTRAGE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mex., Nov. 2.—Villistas early today shot 29 Carranzistas guards on a passenger train en route from Juarez, after which they looted the cars and robbed the passengers, even taking the clothing of the women.

Dr. Haftner, a German, was struck on the head with a bandit's gun.

AVIATOR SETS NON-STOP MARK IN LONG FLIGHT

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
ERIE, Pa., Nov. 2.—Victor Carlstrom, the well known aviator, established a new American non-stop record today, while flying to New York from Chicago. He was flying a 200-horsepower biplane and landed here at 11:26 because of engine trouble.

Erie is half-way on his flight. He left Chicago at 6:09 and carried mail, some of it for the Deutschland.

NICARAGUAN VOLCANO IN ERUPTION, RUINING MANY BIG PLANTATIONS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
SAN SALVADOR, Salvador, Nov. 2.—Nicaragua reports say that the volcano of Santiago is spouting lava and ashes and that many plantations in the department of Masays are ruined.

Late News At A Glance

CALIFORNIA VOLCANO IS SHOWING OFF
REDDING, Cal., Nov. 2.—Mt. Lassen is spouting smoke today at five or ten-minute intervals. The biggest eruption of the year came yesterday.

NOTED AMERICAN AVIATOR KILLED IN RUSSIAN SERVICE
BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 2.—Anthony Jannus, an American aviator who in 1912 flew in a hydroaeroplane from Omaha to New Orleans, has been killed in the Russian aviation service.

U. S.-MEXICAN COMMISSION AWAITS ELECTION
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 2.—The U. S.-Mexican commission today decided to take a recess until after the presidential election. It accordingly adjourned. No agreement on procedure to straighten out Mexican affairs has been reached.

WILSON TALKS TO NEW YORK BUSINESSMEN
NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 2.—Addressing the Wilson Businessmen's League, President Wilson today criticized American business "for resisting changes" and asserted that the men of Wall street did not have the vision that men who treat their employees as partners in business are the most prosperous. "The trouble is that American business has been under the direction of too small a body of men," he said.

TRUSTIES USE AUTO FOR JOY RIDE
A. K. Vierra, park superintendent, is this afternoon anxiously awaiting word from two "trusties" at the county jail who disappeared with his car at noon today and are still missing. He allowed them to take the auto to go to their lunch at the jail.

GEDGE TELLS OF HIGH COST OF LIVING
The high cost of living from the viewpoint of a steamship company, regarding which Norman E. Gedge of the Inter-Island, testified before the utilities commission this afternoon formed an interesting subject of the hearing. Gedge stated that practically all supplies have increased in price, citing examples as follows: Oakum, 110 per cent; paints and paint oils, 40; blocks, 60; railway iron, 100 to 120; canvas more than 100; packing for engines, 120; hemp stocks, 90; galvanized bar iron, 120; waste, 100, and zinc, 125. Wholesale meat has risen one cent a pound.

REFUSES BIRTH CERTIFICATE TO JAPANESE CHILD

Thayer Holds Back Papers on
Learning Boy is to Live
in Japan

Because the father of little Shizo Kiyuna, a three-year old Hawaiian-born Japanese lad, stated that he is sending the boy back to grow up in Japan and learn Japanese ways and customs, Wade Warren Thayer refused today to grant a birth certificate from the office of secretary of the territory.

Thayer says that if the case comes to a lawsuit in the efforts of the parents to secure the certificate for their child that he is willing to see the matter threshed out in the courts. He believes that the stand he has taken in the matter is right, and if little Shizo sails toward Japan this afternoon on the Persia Maru with his mother as intended, the family will hold no papers stating that the little fellow was born in Hawaii.

Shizo's father is Kamado Kiyuna, a laborer on one of the island plantations. He brought the boy this morning to the secretary's office with witnesses to show that the lad is a native of the territory. The father stated that he was sending his wife and two children to Japan on the Persia to see the children's grandfather. Secretary Thayer inquired how long the visit from the little son was to last.

"The grandfather is anxious to see these children," responded the elder Kiyuna, "and Shizo shall stay for 15 years. I, too, would rather have him stay in Japan until he is quite old."

Kiyuna spoke through an interpreter, explaining further that he wishes his son's boyhood training to be in the land of the chrysanthemum.

"Here is a case where the father comes right out and says he wants his son educated in Japan though born in America," says Secretary Thayer, "and my observations are that he will be a pretty poor American if he comes back here at the age of 18 years."

OLD-TIME POLITICAL RALLY BY G. O. P. TO BE HELD IN KAIMUKI

An old-time political rally with Hawaiian music and speeches will be held by the Republicans at the Liliuokalani school this evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Hughes and Fairbanks, national candidates for president and vice-president, respectively, "will be present by proxy or counsel," say the meeting notices.

Among the speakers will be Delegate Kuhio, Major John C. Lane, R. W. Breckons, E. A. Douthitt, William T. Rawlins, A. Lindsay, Jr., Godfrey F. Affonso, T. H. Petrie, "Jack" Lucas, J. K. Jarrett, "Bill" Aylett and C. H. Cooke. "Autists from town take our new King street extension road and the Waialeale boulevard," say the notices.

SUES DR. GEORGE F. STRAUB FOR \$26,150

Action for damages in the sum of \$26,150 was filed in circuit court late yesterday afternoon by George Paston against Dr. George F. Straub. The complaint alleges unskillful use of an X-ray machine, the defendant declaring that, as a result, he suffered burns on his right shoulder. The defendant further alleges that he later contracted pneumonia and other sickness.

HAWAII'S SHARE FOR GUARD WORK IS \$329,552.23

Apportionment Made For Men
Uncalled to Service Is
Reason for Big Sum

Ten times greater than for last year, the federal appropriation to the National Guard of Hawaii, details of which were received today at headquarters of the organization, will amount to \$329,552.23 for 1916-17.

Word that this amount was forthcoming from the federal government was received about a week ago by the Star-Bulletin in an Associated Press despatch, though no details of the appropriation were given.

Hawaii's share, which amount is to be used only for equipment and field training work along the lines of all federal appropriations to the guard, is second alone to New York state, this territory being No. 2 on the list in order of amounts given.

The fact that no guardsmen from the territory participated in the movements along the border is responsible for the large amount this year, the recommendation of the secretary of war being that the apportionment should be made on the basis of guardsmen left uncalled in the different states and territories. New York's total is \$499,184.68.

Two appropriations are included in the total amount for the territory: \$167,554.77 for arming, equipping and training the national guard and \$161,997.46 for arms, uniforms, equipments and such for field service. It was pointed out today that so much more equipment is now required for the guard under the new defense laws that the amount will barely cover the local guard's needs. Last year the appropriation was \$23,670.

DEPUTY REVENUE COLLECTOR, HILO, QUITS ON NOV. 30

(Star-Bulletin Special by Mutual Wireless)
HILO, Hawaii, Nov. 2.—The resignation of Ned Crabbe, deputy collector of internal revenue, stationed in Hilo, has been placed in the hands of Collector J. F. Haley at Honolulu. It takes effect November 30. His probable successor is not known here. Crabbe goes into business in this city.

Haley Says "Not Resigned"
"Mr. Crabbe has not resigned," said Collector John F. Haley, head of the local internal revenue office, when asked on the above wireless today by the Star-Bulletin. "I do not know what his plans are," he added. The collector offered no other comment on the matter.

APPROVE ACCOUNTS OF ESTATE OF BABY SMART

On the recommendation of Arthur E. Restarick, master, Circuit Judge Whitney today approved the first annual accounts of the Trent Trust Company, guardian of the property of Richard Smart, the four-year-old son of the late Thelma T. K. Parker Smart and Henry Gaillard Smart. The master was awarded a fee of \$100.

TRACK RELAYING WAITS TILL ALL MATERIAL HERE

Rapid Transit Says Not Obstructionist But Work Must Wait Till in December

FORBES WRITES LETTER,
CONTENTS NOT DIVULGED

Correspondence Between Utili-
tic Head and Company
Continues

That the letter sent today by Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, to C. G. Ballentyne, manager of the Rapid Transit, relating to the relocation of the company's tracks on Kalakaua avenue to the center position using lighter rails as part of the plan for the improvement of the avenue, will not be given out until after the meeting of the directors next Saturday was announced by the latter this morning.

Following the understanding between Forbes and the Rapid Transit that the "T" rails would be satisfactory in place of the T-10 rails, Ballentyne said this morning that the company's engineers immediately drew plans and specifications for the new construction and these were forwarded to Forbes Monday. It is understood that the letter this morning from Forbes deals with this subject. Whether Forbes approved the plans could not be ascertained.

Another phase of the matter was opened up this morning when Ballentyne said that the Rapid Transit would not commence work of relocating the tracks until all the material necessary arrived. "The company is not an obstructionist," Ballentyne said, "and it desires to have the new track laid in the center position just as soon as possible, but it is absolutely out of the question for it to start the construction until everything is here. Among the important materials that must be obtained are cement, ties, pins and copper connecting plates, and according to him, it is impossible to get them here before the middle of December and unforeseen happening may delay them even longer."

YACHT WARRIOR HERE ON CRUISE; IS AT PIER 15

Shortly after noon today the private yacht Warrior, owned by Alexander Smith Cochran, appeared off pier and anchored. She was boarded by Boarding Officer L. B. Reeves and customs inspectors and was berthed at Pier 15 this afternoon by Capt. William R. Foster, the harbor master, who ordered her there temporarily until a permanent place is available.

Cochran told the boarding officer the Warrior left New York 30 days ago and steamed from Balboa October 12. He is owner of the yacht and the sole passenger, there being no guests aboard. There are 39 men in the crew. The yacht has no wireless. The owner said he will go back to New York after seeing Hawaii. Cochran is a brother of Mrs. Bowen, who visited the islands recently and stayed at the Moana.

GERMANS PLAN REPRISAL, SAYING FRENCH HAD NOT KEPT EARLY AGREEMENT

(German Official)
BERLIN, Germany, Nov. 2.—The German and French governments in January, this year, were about to release civil prisoners on both sides. Thus all German women interned in France and all German men younger than 17 or older than 55 years as well as all unfit for military service, had a just claim to be sent home, except if indicted for crimes.

France has not kept the agreement, refusing the right of departure to a large number of Germans, especially from Alsace Lorraine, among whom also are women and children, without giving reasons. German representations having been without success the German government has now decided on reprisal and will first arrest 200 French men and women of representative families in the occupied French districts, and send them to Germany. They shall be detained until Germans who are detained in contravention of agreement are returned to Germany.

BERLIN, Germany, Nov. 1.—On the north bank of the Somme today there was strong artillery activity. East of the Meuse there was also some heavy firing and Fort Vaux at Verdun was temporarily under heavy fire. On the Transylvania and Dobruja front there is nothing new.

Additional Telegraph despatches published on Page 9.

LANSING SAYS BERLIN PLEDGE DID NOT LIMIT RESPONSIBILITY TO SHIPS WITHOUT ARMAMENT

GERMANS EVACUATE FORT VAUX, ADMITTED BY BERLIN
—DAY'S FIGHTING ON WEST FRONT IS HEAVY—VON
LINSINGEN STORMS RUSSIAN POSITIONS AND INFLECTS
LOSSES

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)
BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 2.—Capt. Hirsch of the Norwegian steamer Osterdal, which arrived here from Cardiff today, reports that he sighted a submarine of the U-53 type about 400 miles east of Cape Henry. Cape Henry is one of the Virginia capes, on the coast near Norfolk. It appears from the despatch above that another German raiding submarine is probably ready to operate off the Atlantic coast.

ROME, Italy, Nov. 2.—The Italians yesterday resumed the offensive against the Austrians and advanced at several points, taking 4731 prisoners.

PETROGRAD, Russia, Nov. 2.—Germans today captured advanced Russian trenches on the west bank of the River Stokhod, south of Witoniez, after the Russians had repelled three attacks.

LONDON, Eng., Nov. 2.—The Norwegian steamer Delta was sunk in the war zone today.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 2.—Secretary of State Lansing, in a declaration today on American policy and understanding of German pledges, indicated that the United States will hold Germany accountable if the steamer Marina was sunk without warning, even though she carried a cannon.

Reports that the Marina had a 4.7-inch gun mounted astern brought to the head of the state department several questions today by interviewers. Lansing replied that he understands that Germany's pledges not to sink merchant vessels without warning, and without providing for the safety of passengers and crew, apply to ships with defensive armament as well as those totally unarmed.

He declared that in correspondence between the state department and the German foreign office there was no distinction drawn between armed and unarmed ships, so long as they were obviously merchant vessels.

He further declared that the state department will not accept any contention that Germany's responsibility is limited to safeguarding passengers and crews of vessels without armament.

It is thought possible that Germany might use the Marina case to settle this issue of attack on a merchant ship defensively armed.

LISBON, Portugal, Nov. 2.—The Norwegian steamer Tromp has been sunk in the war-zone.

Fort Vaux on Verdun Front Given Up by Germans; Attacks Repulsed

BERLIN, Germany, Nov. 2.—The German troops today evacuated Fort Vaux on the Verdun front.

British attempts to advance north of Courcellette have been repulsed. The French have gained some small advantages in the sectors of Les Boeufs and Rancourt, on the Somme front.

On the southeastern front, where the Russians are trying to advance on Lemberg, the Germans have won a decided victory. Gen. von Linsingen today stormed Russian positions on the left bank of the Stokhod river, inflicting heavy losses and taking 1500 prisoners.

Rumanians Press on at Jiul Valley

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Nov. 2.—The Rumanians today continued their pursuit of the Teutons west of Jiul Valley, Teuton attacks in Prabhova valley were repulsed. East of Alt there is some battling.

AUDITOR GRANTS FINAL PAYMENTS ON HAWAII ROAD

Has Held Up Bills for Several
Months Because Highway
on Private Lands

Through a deal just brought to conclusion by Land Commissioner Bertram G. Rivenburgh, whereby the territory grants a 16-year license for a flume right-of-way in return for a strip of land from Hakalau Plantation Company for the Chin Chuck road, Territorial Auditor J. H. Fisher has granted payment to the road contractor of approximately \$3690 held up since last spring.

According to reports at the various offices of the capitol, Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, approved a contract for the construction of the Chin Chuck road when the road site itself lay on land belonging to the Hakalau Plantation Company.

This was some months ago, and one payment had already been made on the work when Auditor Fisher, returning from the mainland, investigated the case to find that the territory did not control the land upon which the road was building and forthwith held up payment. When the matter was brought to the attention of Forbes and other territorial officials the question of how to get out of the difficulty presented itself. The contractor meanwhile proceeded with the work. After considerable correspondence, made slow because the Hakalau officers are in San Francisco, the transfer was agreed upon. Rivenburgh presented the license to Governor Pinkham today for approval. Rivenburgh says that the flumes which have stood for some time carry homestead cane to a large extent. It is predicted that there will be rejoicing tonight in Hilo.

For conducting a "three-card monte" game John Ah Ming was fined \$100.

U. S. JURY TOMORROW

Federal trial jurors have been notified to be in court at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, when the case of Father Borges and John Fraga, charged with the commission of a statutory offense, is scheduled to go to trial.